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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 5350**  
Nobuyuki TAKAHASHI : Docket No. 2003\_1055A  
Serial No. 10/648,330 : Group Art Unit 1753  
Filed August 27, 2003 : Examiner S. Versteeg  
SPUTTERING DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of April 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.